

Essex Art Center 2008 Summer Adult Classes & Workshops

Papermaking

Phillip Stella

\$95

Tuesdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Learn how to create unique papers to use in books, write on or transform into three dimensional works of art. Discover how to build a deckle, make pulp, and experiment with color and various surfaces. Explore patterns, embossing and manipulation as you turn pulp into paper. Limit 8.

Painting II

Joe Farnham

\$105

Tuesdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Through acrylic, watercolor or oils explore still life and the figure. Instructor will work one on one with individuals as they increase their knowledge of color, form and composition. EAC will provide acrylic supplies, if you want to work with oils or watercolors, please bring and remove all of your own materials each class. Limit 8.

Elements of Drawing

Robin Hansen

\$100

Tuesdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Drawing is the foundation of the artist. Explore the figure, the self-portrait, the figure in action, drawing from life and the landscape through various media. Work in pencil, charcoal, colored pencil and pastel to explore your own particular style. All levels. Limit 8.

The Wheel

Damon Jespersen

\$140

Tuesdays & Thursdays 6-8:30 pm

Jul 22-Aug 21

Through demonstrations and one on one instruction, explore the potter's wheel. Focus on individual challenges as you throw various forms. Explore surface textures and glazing. All levels. Limit 8.

B&W Photographic Process

Darren Perocchi

\$105

Wednesdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 9 - Aug 20

Learn how to use a 35mm camera, develop film and print negatives. Experiment with using filters, composition and more. Must have 35mm camera. Limit 7.

Mosaic

Catherine Debrocke

\$100

Wednesdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 9 - Aug 20

Explore the art of creating patterns and images from small pieces of broken dishes, colored glass, stone or other material. Work flat to start, then move on to three dimensional objects. You can mosaic just about anything. Limit 8.

Explorations in Paint

Kimberly Hennessy

\$100

Thursdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 10 - Aug 21

Document, represent, and express your visions through paint. Explore color as it is applied to a surface such as paper, canvas, wood or glass. Practice with various water-based media while learning basic techniques and exploring non traditional applications. Limit 8

Animal Studies

Robin Hansen

\$95

Thursdays 6-8:30 pm, Jul 10 - Aug 21

From pets to wild-life explore animals on paper through pencil, charcoal, colored pencil, ink and watercolor. Learn to create emotions through the fantastic facial expressions of animals, their basic anatomy, and real motion in their posturing. Includes a field trip for instruction and practice in drawing animals from life. Basic drawing experience required. Limit 8.

Raku Studio

Peter Wood

\$80

Thursdays 10am-1pm, Jul 31 - Aug 21

Create pottery and clay sculpture for an outdoor firing where red-hot pieces are placed in a container with combustibles. The resulting smoke blackens exposed clay and produces crackled, metallic and iridescent glazed surfaces. Beginners welcome. Limit 10.

Drawing from Scratch

Alan Bull

\$50

Mo Jul 7 & Tu Jul 8, 10am-2pm

Drawing is an essential foundation for all artists. Through pencil and charcoal explore objects and landscape indoor and out. A great course for beginners or experienced students to brush up on drawing skills. Limit 8.

City Scapes

Dennis Hart **\$35**

We Jul 16, 9am-3pm

Inspired by Joseph Stella, Edward Hopper and others transform the emotion and energy of the city through paint onto canvas. Create your own interpretation of Lawrence while instructor guides you on composition, color and light. Students must bring all their own materials. Inquire about suggested supply list. If it is raining bring a photograph of your favorite city to interpret. Limit 8.

Contemporary Textiles

Kimberly Hennessy **\$35**

Th Jul 17, 9am-3pm

Discover how handcraft traditions are being rejuvenated in contemporary art and design. Explore embroidery and needleworking technique as you collage and stitch into fabric. Limit 8

Paper Explored

Phillip Stella

\$60

We Jul 30 & Th Jul 31, 9am-3pm

A two-day crash course in paper-making! Discover how to build a deckle, make pulp, and experiment with color. Explore patterns, embossing and manipulation as you turn pulp into unique paper. Limit 8.

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Stained Glass Sun catchers

Paul Prue \$30

Mo Aug 11, 10am-2pm

In this one day crash course learn about design, cutting glass, soldering and final assemblage as you create images in glass. Limit 8.

Mixed Media

Natacha Villamia Socha \$25

We Aug 13, 10am-2pm

Designed to introduce a number of varied processes to the audience, that can be used in drawing or painting. Explore the use of water based paint, ink and more as you explore line and drawings on fabric and paper. Limit 8.

Collage

Pam Cooper \$35

Th Aug 14, 9am-3pm

Not just gluing, an in depth perspective on collage! Create new works of art through assembling found papers, objects, old photographs and more. Stitching, cutting and conceptual thinking will inspire you to work outside the box. Start gathering your old artworks, letters, photographs, bits and pieces. Limit 8.

Portraits in Pencil

Paul Prue \$25

Mo Aug 18, 10am-2pm

Study the anatomy of a portrait as you learn how to represent people on paper through pencil. Practice proportions and rendering as you work from a live model during the second half of this one day crash course. Limit 8.

Understanding Color

Dennis Hart \$35

We Aug 20, 9am-3pm

Work on short still life studies to better understand the application of color. Through these painting exercises explore concepts in color such as complementary, warm versus cool, tints and shades and color harmony. Limit 8.

Kid's 10+ classes & workshops

ages 10+ Embellishments

Damian Tibak \$65

Mondays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 7 - Aug 18

Do you like to alter your clothing? Want to deconstruct your jeans or a jacket? Explore and express your individuality through your clothing. Paint, draw, hand sew, silkscreen, and embellish. Limit 8.

Painting & Drawing Studio

ages 10+ Nancy Dudley \$65

Mondays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 7 - Aug 18

Learn how to communicate on paper with pencil, charcoal and paint. Inspired by life, photographs and your imagination explore various possibilities on paper. Limit 8.

ages 10+ Creature Shop

Peter Wood \$65

Tuesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Make a slobbering mutant rat, grumpy troll, ravenous dragon or slithering octogator. These and other imaginative sculptural creatures, made from wire, paper and painted cloth, will be terrifyingly cute and cuddly. Limit 8.

ages 10+ B&W Photography

Nancy Dudley \$75

Tuesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Explore developing and printing in the darkroom. Must have own 35 mm camera. We provide B&W film. Limit 8.

ages 10+ Video Beat

Rick Hough \$65

Wednesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 9 - Aug 20

Participants will explore audio production techniques as they develop a music track for which they will work as a team to produce an accompanying video. Limit 8.

ages 10+ Drawing & Collage

Georgia Renfroe \$65

Wednesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 9 - Aug 20

Use pencil, ink and paper to describe objects from life and imagination. Explore composition and form through drawings and collage. Limit 8.

ages 10+ Paper Architecture

Peter Wood \$30

Thursdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 10-24

Learn to use the basic tools and techniques of architectural model-making. You will design, measure, cut, and fold heavy paper to create your own building or buildings. Limit 8.

ages 10+ Clay Studio

Maria Sanchez Kouassi \$75

Thursdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 10 - Aug 21

Design functional clay from drawings to completed forms. Throw on the wheel and/or build by hand. Explore surface textures and treatments. Limit 8.

Ages 10+ Immersions 1-4 day

Bring lunch & snack. Limit 8.

Pages & Books Claudia Arcia

Mo Jul 7 - Th Jul 10, 9am-3pm, \$90

Incorporate drawing, painting, paper making, and transfer processes into unique handmade books. Limit 8.

Muscle & Movement Alan Bull

We Jul 9 & Th Jul 10, 9am-12pm, \$30

Explore human anatomy in motion while drawing with pencil. Learn about proportions and foreshortening. Limit 8.

Fabric Frenzy Kimberly Hennessy

Mo Jul 14, 9am-3pm, \$25

Explore collage, stitching and more with fabric. Incorporate modern ideas and elements into this traditional art. Limit 8.

Mixed Surface Bea Modisett

Tu Jul 15, 9am-3pm, \$25

Work on multiple pieces as you experiment with stencils, rubbing patterns, citrasolve transfers and more. Limit 8.

Video Buzz Rick Hough

Tu Jul 15 & We Jul 16, 9am-3pm, \$50

Participants will work as a team to invent a product and then produce a commercial for it in our new Media Lab. Limit 8.

Painting Portraits Noelle Proulx-Decain

Mo Jul 28, 9am-3pm, \$30

Learn about proportions, composition and expression as you create portraits from photos and a model. Bring in a portrait photo to interpret onto canvas. Limit 8.

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Ages 10+ Immersions

Bring lunch & snack. Limit 8.

Urban Landscape

Noelle Proulx-Decain

Tu Jul 29, 9am-3pm, \$25

Through paint and brush express Lawrence on your canvas. Learn what makes a good landscape as famous landscape artists inspire you.

Miniatures *Noelle Proulx-Decain*

Mo Aug 4, 9am-3pm, \$25

Through paint explore the world of delicate brushwork. Learn about Indian miniatures as you create your own interpretations.

Surrealist Stills

Noelle Proulx-Decain

Tu Aug 5, 9am-3pm, \$25

From Magritte's apple to Dali's clocks explore and interpret simple objects through acrylic paint with a surrealist light.

Trashy Tales *Heather Hudson*

Th Aug 7, 9am-3pm, \$25

Students will go outside and discover discarded items and use these object in or as inspiration for a piece of art. What tales will our trash hold? Find out as you explore your ideas through painting, drawing and more.

Metal works *Georgia Renfroe*

Mo Aug 11, 9am-3pm, \$25

A tail pipe, broken watch or can opener has so much potential. What treasure will you sculpt with found metal objects? Drill, wire and assemble.

Mosaic Shrines *Heather Hudson*

Mo Aug 18 & Tu Aug 19, 9am-3pm, \$50

Broken bits of ceramic, rocks, buttons and glass will inspire. But what will your shrine hold? Create an object or icon out of clay that you will house in your mosaic shrine.

CHILDREN'S 2008 Summer 7 week classes

ages 6-9 Modern Sculpture

Todd Lamond \$65

Mondays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 7 - Aug 18

Calder, Rosenberg and Cornell are just a few of the artists who will inspire you. Explore, clay, wire, cardboard and more as you sculpt away. Limit 8.

ages 6-9 Basic Painting

Phuong Lai Matzker \$65

Tuesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Color mixing, paint application and the study of forms will allow you to represent objects from life and your imagination on paper and canvas. Limit 8.

ages 6-9 Clay sculpture

Claudia Arcia

Tuesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19, \$75

Sculpt away to create magical people and places. Have fun with your imagination while you learn about clay. Limit 8.

ages 6-9 Painting Dreams

Claudia Arcia \$65

Wednesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 9-Aug 20

Make your dreams and fantasies come to life on paper. Learn about how artists; Chagall, Magritte and Dalí used their dreams as inspiration as you create your own masterpieces with paint. Limit 8.

ages 6-9 Basic Drawing

Georgia Renfroe \$65

Thursdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 10 - Aug 21

Focus on the basics of drawing. Deal with issues of light and shadow to describe form. Create drawings with values and elements of line and shading. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Hand building

Phuong Lai Matzker \$75

Mondays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 7 - Aug 18

Use slabs and coils to hand build mugs, jars, banks and other useful and decorative projects. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Drawing with Color

Kimberly Hennessy \$65

Tuesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 8 - Aug 19

Learn how to work with color as you draw from objects, photographs and the figure. Work with color pencils, oil pastels and watercolor to create colorful detailed compositions. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Big Puppet Heads

Catherine Debrocke \$65

Wednesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 9-Aug 20

A festival awaits you. Working with paper mache, sticks, paint, fabric and more create the most spectacular puppets. The final class will end with a parade of these gigantic puppets. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Dimensional Painting

Damian Tibak \$65

Wednesdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 9-Aug 20

Have fun with paint as you expand your concept of surface. You may paint a landscape on a shoe or a intricate design on a stool. Who said that paint has to live on a canvas. Start thinking of a non traditional surface to work on. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Acrylic & Water

Kimberly Hennessy \$65

Thursdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 10-Aug 21 Explore color mixing and composition while painting with acrylics and watercolors. Create portraits, abstracts, landscapes and more on paper and canvas. Limit 8.

ages 8+ Bookmaking Tales

Heather Hudson \$65

Thursdays 3:45-5:30 pm, Jul 10-Aug 21

Tell a story through your artwork. A found object, drawing or idea may inspire your tale. The story can be explained through paintings, drawings, words and more in a sculpted book. Limit 8.

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Ages 3-4 Little Artists' Morning Adventures

Explore drawing, painting and sculpture in a thematic based morning of art. Please bring snack. Limit 6.

Animals in Art *Thea Shapiro* Tu Aug 5, 9am-12pm, \$20

People & Places *Thea Shapiro* Th Aug 7, 9am-12pm, \$20

Food as Art *Thea Shapiro* Tu Aug 19, 9am-12pm, \$20

My Dreams *Thea Shapiro* Th Aug 21, 9am-12pm, \$20

Ages 7-10 Young Artists' 4 day Adventures

Explore drawing, painting, sculpture and more in a thematic based art adventure. Be challenged, inspired and instructed in various mediums. Feel the energy and excitement as you explore your creativity through various avenues. You will get messy, so please dress appropriately! Please BRING lunch, snack, a positive attitude & your imagination. Limit 20 when two instructors and limit 10 if one.

Story to Stage *Kimberly Hennessy*

Mo Jul 7-Th Jul 10, 9am-3pm, \$90

Inspired by children's stories, create costumes and props out of all sorts of materials. Conclude with an improv or demonstration on our alley stage.

South America *Claudia Arcia*

Mo Jul 14 - Th Jul 17, 9am-3pm, \$90

Modern to Contemporary

Kimberly Hennessy & Heather Hudson

Mo Jul 21 - Th Jul 24, 9am-3pm, \$90

Dream & Fantasy *Kimberly Hennessy & Claudia Arcia*

Mo Jul 28 - Th Jul 31, 9am-3pm, \$90

Art of Europe *Jana Tarbox & Jessica Harris*

Mo Aug 4 - Th Aug 7, 9am-3pm, \$90

Elements of Nature *Claudia Arcia & Jessica Harris*

Mo Aug 11 - Th Aug 14, 9am-3pm, \$90

Myths Symbols *Kimberly Hennessy & Jessica Harris*

Mo Aug 18 - Th Aug 21, 9am-3pm, \$90

ages 7-14 Things that Fly *Paul Prue*

Mo Jul 21, 10am-2pm, \$25

Have fun building paper planes, flying saucers, rockets, and any thing that will fly! Students will test and race their creations at end of day. Bring lunch and snacks. Limit 12

Ages 5-6 Budding Artists' One Day Adventures

Explore drawing, painting and sculpture in a thematic based day or days of art. Please BRING lunch, snack and your imagination. Limit 6.

Flowers *Todd Lamond* Mo Jul 7, 10am-2pm, \$25

Locomotion *Todd Lamond* Mo Jul 14, 10am-2pm, \$25

Native arts *Georgia Renfroe* Tu Jul 15, 10am-2pm, \$25

Modern Art *Todd Lamond* Mo Jul 21, 10am-2pm, \$25

Cities *Todd Lamond* Mo Jul 28, 10am-2pm, \$25

Monsters *Todd Lamond* Mo Aug 4, 10am-2pm, \$25

Outer Space *Phuong Lai Matzker* We Aug 6, 10am-2pm, \$25

Ocean Life *Todd Lamond* Mo Aug 11, 10am-2pm, \$25

Egypt *Todd Lamond* Mo Aug 18, 10am-2pm, \$25

Circus *Phuong Lai Matzker* We Aug 20, 10am-2pm, \$25

Ages 5-6 Blooming Artists' 3 Day Adventures \$75 for 3 days

Asia Explored *Phuong Lai Matzker* Tu Jul 8 - Th Jul 10, 10am-2pm

The Rainforest *Phuong Lai Matzker* Tu Jul 15 - Th Jul 17, 10am-2pm

Destination Abroad *Thea Shapiro* Tu Jul 22 - Th Jul 24, 10am-2pm

Heroes *Phuong Lai Matzker* Tu Jul 29 - Th Jul 31, 10am-2pm

Road Trip *Thea Shapiro* Tu Aug 12 - Th Aug 14, 10am-2pm

2-4 day Theatre-ventures

ages 9-12 Character Development *Eli Grober*

Mo Jul 21 - Th Jul 24, 9am-3pm, \$85

In this workshop students will work on character development, as well as work in groups on short skits or scenes from plays, which will be performed at the end of the last class. Limit 8.

ages 6-8 Improv *Eli Grober* Mo Aug 4 - Th Aug 7, 9am-12pm, \$85

In this workshop, children will play improvisational games and learn about character development through games. No performance. Limit 8

ages 9-12 Express Yourself *Damon Jespersen*

Tu Aug 12 & Th Aug 14, 9am-3pm, \$50

Explore being expressive while developing physical freedom and strong vocalization. Use poetic drama as a means of communicating. No Performance. Limit 8

ages 6-8 Puppet Play *Damon Jespersen*

Tu Aug 19 & Th Aug 21, 9am-3pm, \$50

Transform into another persona. Create and work with puppets. Learn how to use the puppet as a source of inspiration and tool for animation and manipulation to communicate your ideas. No Performance. Limit 8

To register, please send in completed registration form with a down payment to **Essex Art Center**
ATTENTION REGISTRAR
56 Island Street
Lawrence, MA 01840

PAYMENT - Check or cash payment must be made at time of registration. Please inquire about payment plans. We want you to be able to take classes here. Returned check fee is \$30 payable in cash.

CONFIRMATION/CANCELATION - no confirmation of registration given. Students only notified if course is canceled. We reserve the right to cancel classes due to low enrollment. Full cost will be returned if the class is cancelled due to low enrollment. No other refunds will be given.

CHILD DROP OFF - Parent must come into EAC to drop off and pick up child. This is a great time to meet your child's instructor.

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 10-6

**CLOSED: June 30 - July 4 &
August 22- September 1**

DIRECTIONS - From I-495, take the Marston Street exit. At the Welcome to Lawrence sign turn left onto Canal Street. At the first set of lights take a left onto Union Street. Take an immediate left onto Island Street. We are #56.

Please park in lot at end of Island Street.

To learn more about Essex Art Center and our instructors who teach classes, please visit our website at www.essexartcenter.org. Also, feel free to visit us!

CONTACT INFORMATION (Parent's name if for child)

First Name_____ Last Name_____

Home Phone_____ Other Phone_____

Emergency Contact Name & Number_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Email_____

STUDENT INFORMATION

First Name_____ Last Name_____

Age(if child)_____ Class_____ Cost_____

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Total Cost_____

Thank You for any Additional Donation_____

by check#_____ or cash Total paid at registration_____

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